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**REQUEST FOR
MED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Application Number: 09/678,252	Confirmation Number: 5246
Filing Date: October 3, 2000	
First Named Inventor: Karl L. Ginter, et al.	
Group Art Unit: 2132	
Examiner: Justin T. Darrow	
Attorney Docket Number: 07451.0001-15000	
Attorney Customer Number: 22,852	

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114: Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, application must request non-entry of such amendment.

2. Miscellaneous

- a. Suspension of action on the above-mentioned application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of [number] months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required.)

b. Other _____

3. Fees

- a. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 06-0916. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet:

 - i. \$790.00 RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
 - ii. Petition for extension of time for (number Months) \$[Fee]
 - iii. Other \$ 450.00 fee for additional claims, please see (Amendment) Transmittal Letter submitted herewith

b. Check in the amount of \$_____ enclosed.

Signature of Applicant, Attorney, or Agent Required

Name: Andrew B. Schwaab Reg. No.: 38,611

Signature: Andy Schmitz Date: February 18, 2005

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